

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: ൧൦൦ രൂപ ശമ്പളമുള്ളവരുടെ കൂട്ടത്തിൽനിന്നു ജയിലറായി നിയമിക്കാൻ ആളില്ലായിരുന്നോ?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: തൽക്കാലം ഇല്ലായിരുന്നു. ഈ ജോലിക്കു മി. ഫസ്റ്റൻ മതിയായിരുന്നതുകൊണ്ടാണ് നിയമിച്ചത്.

Designs of stamps and stamp papers.

170. *MR. KANNANTHODATH K. JANARDHANAN NAIR (*Karunagapally cum Kartikapally*): Will the Government be pleased to state the cost of the stamp Dies required for printing new stamps and stamp papers?

MR. M. GOVINDA PILLAI (*Financial Secretary to Government*): B.Rs. 9,475.

Kartikapally-Kayamkulam road.

171. *MR. G. VELU PILLAI (*Karunagapally cum Kartikapally*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether any amount has been sanctioned this year or before to convert the Kartikapally-Kayamkulam road into a cartable road;

(b) if the answer to part (a) is in the affirmative, whether any work has been done in pursuance of the same; and

(c) at what stage the work is at present?

MR. S. SESA AIYAR (*Deputy Chief Engineer*):

(a) Yes. In the years 1105, 1106 and 1108.

(b) No.

(c) The ryots have not yet completed their share of the work as per the ryots road rules and the required lands also have not been surrendered by them free of cost.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI: May I know whether any amount has been spent towards maintenance?

MR. S. SESA AIYAR: Yes, Sir.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI: What is the nature of the maintenance?

MR. S. SESA AIYAR: Besides usual repairs some widening was done which is strictly beyond the scope of maintenance.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI: May I know whether the people have agreed to give up some of their lands for the improvement of the road in question.

MR. S. SESA AIYAR: Yes.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI: May I know whether the P. W. D. Officer has inspected that site?

MR. S. SESA AIYAR: I cannot say that now.

Diseases of cocoanut trees.

172. *MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Mavelikara cum Kunnattur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether they have ascertained the extent of the area wherein cocoanut trees are in a diseased condition; and

(b) whether any steps have been taken for the remission of land tax in those areas?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR (*Director of Agriculture and Fisheries*):

(a) No.

(b) No.

Cocoanut delegation.

173. ***MR. G. VELU PILLAI** (*Karunagapalli cum Kartikapalli*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) the total amount spent in connection with the Government delegation headed by Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai, that waited on the Government of India about the Ceylon Copra and the cocoanut problem:

(b) the result of the said delegation?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR (*Chief Secretary to Government*):

(a) The total amount spent in connection with the Cocoanut Delegation is Rs. 3,876-1-9.

(b) The matter is under the consideration of the Government of India.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI: May I know whether any report has been submitted to Government by Dr. Kunjan Pillai?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: Yes, Sir.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI: May I know whether that report has been published by Government?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: No, Sir.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI: May I know why?

PRESIDENT: The whole question is still under discussion with the Government of India. The interim report cannot be published.

Receipt and expenditure in the Taluk offices.

174. ***MR. D. FRANCIS** (*Kalkulam cum Vilavankod*): Will the Government be pleased to state the total amount of money received and issued from the Sub-Treasuries of Agastisvaram, Thiruvalla and Sertala from the year 1100 to 1113?

MR. M. RAMACHANDRA RAO (*Ag. Land Revenue and Income Tax Commissioner*):

The time and labour involved in collecting the information is out of proportion to its utility.

MR. D. FRANCIS: இந்த மாதிரி சமாசாரங்கள் publicக்கு தெரிய வேண்டாமா? இப்படி பதில் சொல்லிவிட்டால் எங்களுக்கு எப்படித் தெரியும்?

MR. M. RAMACHANDRA RAO: It will be very difficult to collect the information.

MR. D. FRANCIS கூடுதல் ஆள்களை வைத்து வேலை நடத்தலாமா.

MR. M. RAMACHANDRA RAO: The question of additional hands does not arise.

Conditions of certain political convicts.

175. ***MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR** (*Tovalala cum Agastisvaram*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the conditions of the following political convicts in Central Jail, with regard to the weight of the body when admitted in the Central Prison and the weight of the body at present: